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In re application of: )  
H. Deboer et al. ) Examiner: K. Hauda  
Application No.: 08/476,798 ) Art Unit: 1819  
Filed: June 7, 1995 ) PETITION TO EXTEND TIME UNDER  
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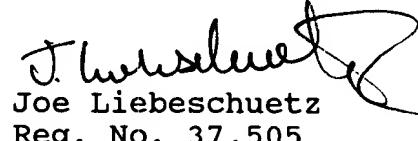
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Sir:

05/14/1998 DHARRIGA 00000003 201430 Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action, dated December 9, 1996 for 3 months, from March 9, 1997 to June 9, 1997. An appropriate response to the Office Action in the form of a response is enclosed herewith.

Adjustment date: 05/14/1998 DHARRIGA Please charge \$930.00, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17, to the 07/03/1997 MPEOPLES 00000038 201430 08476798 30. Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above Deposit Account. This Petition is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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